CURRICULUM VITAE

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General Information:

Date and place of birth: September 1, 1928
Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico

Education:

Ph.D., Union Graduate School
Antioch College - Yellow Springs, Ohio. Urban Studies.

MSW, Smith College School for Social Work, Northhampton, Mass. Major: Psychiatric casework.

MA, The Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C., Major: Educational Guidance; Minor: Educational Psychology.

BA (cum laude), University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras, P.R. Major: Education.

Work Experience:

1969 Chairman of Department of Community Development and Urban Studies. Associate Professor of Urban Planning and Community Development - Livingston College, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N.J. 08903.

1964-1969 Director of Group Work and Tutorial Division Child Service Association, 284 Broadway, Newark, N.J.

1960-1964 Area Director, Newark, N.J., Girl Scout Council of Greater Essex County, 81 Main St., Orange, N.J.

1955-1957 Assistant Executive Director, Insular Girl Scout Council, Santurce, Puerto Rico.

1946-1948 Teacher: Nuestra Sra. de Valvanera, Cosmo, Puerto Rico.

Professional Organizations:

Association of College and University Professors
National Association of Social Workers
Asociación Nacional de Trabajadores Sociales de Puerto Rico

Licenses and certificates:

Academy of Certified Social Workers
Certified Marriage Counselor - State of New Jersey
Teacher Certification - Puerto Rico

Past community activities:

Chairman, Comité Pro-Educación Profesional del Puertorriqueño, 1968
Member of Board of Directors, F.O.C.U.S., Newark, 1966-68
Founder and member, Executive Committee, United Community Corporation, Newark, 1963-67
Executive Committee, ADA, Newark Chapter, 1963-65
Executive Committee, N.J. Committee Against Discrimination in Housing, 1965-67
Freeholder Candidate, Essex County, United Freedom Ticket, 1965
Candidate, National Democratic Convention, McCarthy delegate, 1968
Advisory Board, NEVP, Rutgers University, 1968-69
Campaign Manager - Ramón Afanes, Candidate, Councilman at Large, Newark Municipal Elections - May 1970
Secretary of the Board of The Black and Puerto Rican Political Convention, Newark, 1970
Chairman of the Board - State of New Jersey Puerto Rican Convention
Chairman of the Board - Aspira Inc. of New Jersey
Delegate pledged to Sen. McGovern - National Democratic Convention 1972

Present community activities:

Board Member - Aspira Inc. of New Jersey
Executive Committee of the Board - Aspira Inc. of America
Executive Committee of the Board - Greater Newark Urban Coalition
Member - Advisory Committee - Center for The American Woman in Politics - The Eagleton Institute of Politics - Rutgers University
New Jersey State Committee on Children and Youth - appointed by Governor William T. Cahill
Board of Directors - United Community Fund and Council of Essex and West Hudson Counties, N.J.
Member - National Committee of Boricuas and Chicanos

Past activities:

Member - Advisory Committee for the Cabinet Committee on Equal Opportunities for Spanish Speaking Americans - appointed by President Nixon.
Commissioner - Commission on Drug Abuse - appointment by Mayor Kenneth Gibson, May 1971

Publications:

"The Puerto Ricans in Newark, New Jersey"
(Aqui se Habla Español) Aspira Inc. of New Jersey, 1971

"Counseling Inner City Adults to Start Higher Education"
Counseling Services for Adults in Higher Education
ed. Martha Farmer - Scarecrow Press, 1971

"Voz Boricua: El Problema de Viviendas"
Hoboken Issues - Vol. 1 No. 3
Hoboken Model Cities, 1971

Ethnic Differences Affecting The Delivery of Rehabilitation Services - The Puerto Ricans, Rehabilitation Commission - U.S. Government

Languages:

English, Spanish
Reading knowledge of French, Italian and Portuguese

Public Recognition and Honors:

"Thanks Badge", highest adult award, National Girl Scout Organization, 1963

"Citizen of the Year", Remes School of Modeling and Design, Newark, 1966

"Social Work Scholarship", The New York Community Trust, New York, 1967-68

"Distinguished Service Award" - United Community Corporation, Newark, 1969

Personal car destroyed by fire bomb and life threatened for participation in community in activist role by white racists.